



BORIS THE SPIDER

A Journal of Duplicious Doings,
Raw Power, and Naked Greed
*"Oh, what a tangled web we weave
When first we practice to deceive!"*
--Sir Walter Scott--



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NMRs Abound!

This has not been a good month. Six NMRs in the games I'm running and another in ADV CIV. Four other positions were received well after the deadline. Also the 1830 report didn't make it. If we don't hear from Mark by 21 Oct, the players should send me their orders for Turns 6.1 to 6.3 and I'll try to turn them around quickly for a double move next time.

We have full quora for several games, we just need to open some space. I figure SOURCE OF THE NILE (to be run by Alan Bargender) to take the ADV CIV space that ought to open up in about three issues (so Alan, send me and the volunteers your pbm system and house rules). The 1830 game could be finished soon as we are on the verge of diesels; it will be replaced by either 1835 or 1856. SILVERTON ought to have been over last time, but the players voted to go 24 turns so we must endure another 8 turns.

STANDBY ALERT! The following positions are available. Send orders and they might be yours.

"Boris XV": Austria

BALKAN WARS: Serbia

MACHIAVELLI: The Papacy

ADVANCED CIVILIZATION: Assyria or Thrace -- apply to Flint Webb

AIR BARON: ARA and HD.

BORIS'S BULLETIN BOARD

THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH: "Historians have surmised that long, long ago in the early days of the Mesopotamian and Egyptian cultures the first beer was brewed. It was homebrew!" --C. Papazian

Since we have room at the bottom of p 8, I'll do something I've been meaning to do for awhile -- publish game openings in other 'zines. Check it out.

BOOS & KUDOS

This month's Madame Bolduc Press Excellence Award (and free issue) goes to Sven Vasseur for his MACHIAVELLI press.

This month's Ms Nar Super-Sudsy Bomb is jobbed at Jim Fryling, Phil Reynolds, Ward Narti, John Ringhoffer, Mark Frueh, and, of course, TJ Klausutis.

PERSONAL COMMUNICATION HERE (maybe):

Deadline for most games is 1800 CST 2 Nov 01



MUNICH RECLAIMED!! Turks Smoked!

XIV
2000C

Spring 1908

The 4-way Draw failed 1 AYE, 2 NAY, and 1 NVR = AYE. It is repropoed.

MIREWOOD: The West has regained MUN and the Sultan is showing signs of smoking too much funny weeds. The stalemate line persists and only a major realignment of the powers is likely to break it, or a timely NMR.

TROOP MOVEMENTS:

French A BOH retreats to SIL. France disbands F LYO. Turkey builds A CON.

AUSTRIA (Boym): A Gre-Ser, A Ven-Tus, F Nap S A Rom, A Bud-Gal, A Rom S A Ven-Tus, F Adr-Ven, A Tri S A Vie-Tri, A Vie-Tri.

ENGLAND (Shacklett): A Pru-War, F Kie S F Ber, F Ber S A Den-Pru, F Nth S F Bel, F Bal C A Den-Pru, F Bot S A StP, F Nrg-Bar, A Lvn S A Pru-War, (A StP-Mos), F Bel S F Nth, A Den-Pru;

FRANCE (Kamrie): A Bur S A Sil-Mun, A Sil-Mun, F Tun S F Tyn, A Tri S A Sil-Mun, (F Tyn S F Tus-Rom), (F Tus-Rom)r-???

TURKEY (Fisher): (A War S A Mos)dup, F Smy-Eas, (A Mun S AUS A Vie-Tri)r-???, (A Mos S A War), F Aeg-Ion, (F Ion-Tyn), A Sev S A Mos, A Boh S AUS A Vie-Tri, A Con H, (A War H)dup, r-???

Orders in brackets fail, dup = duplicate order, imp = impossible, NMR = no move received, NRR = no retreat received, NVR = no vote received, nso = not so ordered, nsp = no such place, nsu = no such unit, oth = off the board, r-??? = unit must retreat to ???, u = unordered.

French F TUS must retreat oth or to LYO or PIE. Turkish A MUN must retreat oth or to RUH. Turkish A WAR must retreat oth or to SIL or UKR.

A four-way draw has been proposed. VOTE: One or more "Nay" votes vetoes the proposal.

Due next time are your retreats, builds/tears, vote, and orders for Spring 1908.

BORIS WORLD PRESS REVIEW

Playground Daily News: WANTED: News correspondents from the warring powers. Reports on morale, alliance solidarity, wartime accusations against the foe, all gleefully welcomed. Send all to Ms Nar, FWB, FL, USA.

--"Boris XV" (continued from p 3)

wants to do; a little maneuver to the North and one in the South. Maybe the news of French imperialism is alive and well. We heard the French wanted to spread the French language and its fine arts and cuisine. Germany seems ready to be crushed between the Russian horde and French Frogs. Then there is Austria and England; the game and history is not very kind to these countries. Will they make a comeback? How long will they hang in there? Is there any chance of them getting another army?

Stay tuned to this same Dip channel and same Dip time.



ERRATA: Italy holds GRE so may build one; Turkey is even.

MINAS MORGUL: The French are rushing to join the Crusade against the Infidel, but need to heed the advance of the Russian steamroller. The rump English government maintains some control over its sole army, but Wormtongue cannot even manage that. Germany is the key to thwarting the Russian advance.

TROOP MOVEMENTS:

English F EDI retreats oth. France A MUN retreats to SIL. Italy retreats F ION to TUN. England disbands F NTH. France builds A MAR. Germany builds F KIE. Italy builds F NAP.

AUSTRIA (Frying): NMR A Ser Hit;

ENGLAND (Boyum): [A Yor-Lpl];

FRANCE (Curtis): [A Sil-War], [A Wal-Lpl], F Lon-Nth, F Tyn-Ion, F Iri-Mid, A Mar-Spa;

GERMANY (Copeland): A Mun S ITA A Tri-Tri, A Ruh-Kie, F Edi-Nrg, F Den S F Kie-Bal, F Nrg-Bar, F Kie-Bal;

ITALY (Anderson): A Alb S AUS A Ser, A Tri-Tri, [F Gre-Aegld], F Tun S FRE F Tyn-Ion, A Ven S A Tri-Tri, F Nap S FRE F Tyn-Ion;

RUSSIA (Wertz): A StP-Lvn, A Vie-Tri, F Rum H, F Swe S F Nwy, [A Tri S A Vie-Tri(r-???)], A Bud S TUR A Bul-Ser, A Boh S A Tri, A Gal S A Bud, F Nwy S F Swe;

TURKEY (K. Wilson): [A Bul-Ser], F Ion-Gre, F Aeg S F Ion-Gre, [A Con-Bul].

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Russian A TRI must retreat oth or to PIE.

Due next time are orders for the retreat, and for Fall 1904 and Press. Ma Nar craves Press!

EMBASSY BEAT

Germany to Russia: As I mentioned before, no communications is a BAD thing.

Germany to All---The Kaiser, while vacationing in the Alps, has announced a unilateral cease fire with the English. He was quoted as saying, "This senseless slaughter must stop. The English forces cannot defend themselves, so that duty must fall upon German shoulders. There are now much greater evils in Europe which must be addressed!"

Italy to France: I will support you into the lion in the spring.

Italy to Turkey: I see you are so worried about Russia that you are in the east med instead of the Black Sea.

Italy to Russia - Do you have enough armies in Austria to control the mobs? I suggest you go control the Armenians or maybe go just control the wild turkeys out there.

Look at the swarm of the Russian tide.

The Italians are becoming an empire larger than the Turkish Empire. What is to become of Turkey, the lackey of the Russian horde? France appears as though it cannot make up its mind what it

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BALKAN WARS VI
Serbs Mutiny!
Spring 1915

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VOTE: 2 Yea, 1 Nay, 1 NMR = Yea, 1 NVR = Yea, so the R/T win falls.

KLENDATHU: The Serbian army has finally broken and is in full rout in the face of unrelenting Rumanian pressure. The Greeks and Turks continue their bickering. Albania is just grateful to be alive.

TROOP MOVEMENTS:

Greece retreats F EMS to CYP. Greece disbands F SPA. Rumania builds F BOS & A DUB. Serbian (NMR) A TIR retreats otb.

ALBANIA (Morrison): [F NAS S RUM A Mon]otm;

GREECE (Anderson): F Rho S F Cyp-EMS, [F Mal-Cor], [F Cyc-Cre]r-???), F Cyp-EMS, [F SMS S F Cyc-Cre];

RUMANIA (R. Fisher): A Nis-Sko, A Her H, F Mar S TUR F Cone-Aeg, A Bel-Mon, A Tir-Val, A Mon-Tir, A Sof S A Nis-Sko, A Mac S A Nis-Sko, F SBS H, F Bos H, A Dub H;

SERBIA (Reynolds): A Ath H(u), A Epi H(u), A Sal H(u), A Sko H(u,d);

TURKEY (K. Wilson): [A Thr-Sal], F Cone H(u), [F Cor-Cre], F Aeg-Cyc, F Smy S F Aeg-Cyc, [F EMS-SMS]r-???).

Orders in brackets fail, d= destroyed, nso (not so ordered), otb = off the board, otm = on the move, r-??? (retreats to ???), u = unordered

Greek F CYC must retreat otb or to SPA. Turkish F EMS must retreat otb or to CHL.

Due next time are votes, retreats, builds/tears, and orders for Fall 1915.

BORIS WORLD PRESS REVIEW

Turkey to Greece: I've said it before and I'll say it again, publicly, your inability to see reason and cease hostilities has resulted in your war with Serbia and a Rumanian win overall. The outcome could have been different.

Turkey to Rumania: Nicely done. It probably would have been the same outcome if Greece had come around, but at least it would have been a bigger challenge.

Turkey to Serbia: Too bad, it could have been fun trying to slow Rumania down.

Turkey will take those 1.3 to one odds on a Rumanian win in 1916.

--MACHIAVELLI continued from p 5

got a hold of a thigh, another of the tail. The big fellow shook himself and gave up a big 'toot!' The wolves backed off some, but were soon back and aimed for the neck. Now the mammoth began to feel tired and another one stepped in and continued the fight. The new bull offered the wolves a treaty. Suddenly the fight began to sway. The wolves started to look at each other with suspicion. Who was the leader? Who would ally with the mammoth instead, splitting the former so well-coordinated wolfpack? What was it to win for the individual wolf? A mammoth as an ally? Well, suddenly the mammoth changed shape and took off its disguise. It was another wolf! How extraordinary - what a trick! the other wolves exclaimed and from that point nothing was as it once was in the wolfpack."



MACHIAVELLI

Pope Silent!!
Two Austrian Fleets Sunk!
Summer 1523



ERRATA: AUS ordered F TS S F Sar, not F Bar. AUS F SAR thus remains in SAR and TUR F GoL in GoL. AUS A MES may retreat to garrison.

RAGNOCITTA: Archduke David has taken firm command of the Hapsburg forces, but the Pope's sudden illness has thrown his forces into disarray, upsetting the balance of power yet again, as His Holiness has no clear successor. The French, Turkish, and Florentine fleets continue to sweep the Austrians from the sea, but is it enough soon enough to thwart the Hapsburg grand design?

TROOP MOVEMENTS

Austrian A TUR retreats COMO and A MES into garrison.

AUSTRIA (Anderson, 0d): 1A Mil S A Como, 1A Como S A Mil, 1A Pav-Tur, G Mes S F Pal-Mes, A Sla S A Carin-Car, A Carin-Car, 1A Tyr-Swi(r-???) (F Bar-Otr)(d), F TS-Nap, 1F Sar-Cor(d), G Bar H, G Mil S A Mil, F Pal-Mes, 1A Aus-Carin;

FLORENCE (Hassler, 0d): F Pio-TS, F LS S F Pio-TS, A Are-Flo, A Par S VEN A Ber-Mil, 1F Cor S F Pio-TS, 1A Flo-Pisa, 1A Luc-Mod;

FRANCE (McConnell, 2d): A Swi S A Tur-Tyr, 1A Mon-Pav, F Pro-GoL, A Tur-Tyr, A Avi-Tur, A Salz S A Avi-Tur;

PAPACY (Narhi, 6d): NMR A Man H(u), A Per H(u), A Rom H(u), A Ane H(u), A Urb H(u);

TURKEY (Scott, 0d): A Aqu S A Otr-Bari, F LA S A Otr-Bari, F Gol-Sar, A Otr-Bari, F CM-Pal, 1F Mes S F CM-Pal(r-???) (F WMS S F Gol-Sar;

VENICE (Vasseur, 4d): A Trent S A Ber-Mil, F Cro H, F Car H(r-???) (1A Ber-Mil), A Cre S A Ber-Mil, A Ver-Carin, A Fri S A Ver-Carin;

AUTONOMOUS: Cre, Luc, Mod, Mon

Orders in brackets fail; b = besieged, d = destroyed, imp = impossible, nsu = no such unit, oth = off the board, r-??? = must retreat to ???, u = unordered.

Austrian A TYR must retreat oth or into garrison. Turkish F MES must retreat oth or GoN or to IS. Venetian F CAR must retreat oth or to IST or UA.

Due next time are orders for Fall 1523, and Press. Ms Nar craves Press.

EMBASSY BEAT

Archduke Dave took over today shaking his head. Austria from all reports looks like it is at war with every major power on the board. Leave to Reynolds to do that!!!! So he asked his ministers their advice, one suggested "plead for mercy". Another suggested "offer up your first born" while yet another suggested "offer what was what was underneath your kilt at the wedding". "Excellent idea" the Archduke said I will quickly send them all a pair of my swimming suit. That will appease them. The Archduke sprinted off. The ministers shook thier heads and said "Well, maybe Reynolds wasn't so bad after all".

Florence to the Pope: No problem. Glad to help.

Florence to the Turk: A pleasure doing business with you.

Florence to New Austria (if any): Welcome. Now, prepare to make your exit.

Florence to Venice: One order of support coming up.

Florence to France: More help is on the way.

BORIS WORLD PRESS REVIEW

The Stoneage Venetian: "The wolves threw themselves over the gigantic mammoth. One of them

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PELENS EPOCHS # 8 & 11



THE CAST

Anderson: Red
Kanne: Azure

Morrison: Ebony
K. Wilson: Green

M. Fisher: Yellow
McCabe: Orange

BOARD:

Anderson: **RI**: Hb.
M. Fisher: **YI**: Cey, EGH, WDe2; **YII**: GaD, GaV, Mal, Sum, Ufn(C,YM)
Klausutis: **PI**: PPI, Tar(PM), Tur
McCabe: **OI**: SiK, Yel2,C,OM; **OII**: Che, Irr, Sze, Wei (C,OM), Yan
Morrison: **EI**: LTic, MTI3,C), Palic,f; **EII**: Bal, Dal, Dan, Mor(C,EM), Pin, Sha, Sib
Kanne: **AI**: Nub, WAn; **AII**: Lin(c,YM), PSD, UTi(C), Zag; **AVI**: Lev(C)
K Wilson: **GI**: Cre(C), Lib, Nilic,AM), UNic,f; **GII**: Alb, Cau2), CEu(GM), CMa, Dni, NEu; **GV**: EAn(C,GM).
Ships: Bla(E), EMS(E), Red(A), WMS(E)

SCORE (SP/VP): O(10/16), Y(10/16), G(11/32), A(13/27), E(13/27), P(13/5+) R(19/7+).

EPOCH # (cont)

CARTHAGINA (P): **NMR**. Position declared abandoned. Ms Nar considered, but ultimately declined, taking the position. The other suggested candidate, Debbie Anderson, would have card security problems since husband Dave is also playing.

PERSEA (R): Play "N American Migrants" (1RI @ Win & Dee) and "Leader". Play IAC, RM @ PPI (1PI r-Tur), 2A @ PSD (4,3,2-5; 6,5,4:1 -1RII, 1AII), 1A @ Zag (6,6,3:4 -1AII), 2A @ UTi (5,1,1:6; 6,3,1:6; 6,6,3:5 -1RII, 1AII, -C +c), 2A @ Lev (5,5,3:5; 4,4,1:5; 6,5,5:2 -1RII, 1AVI, C, +c), 1F @ EMS (6,5,4:4 -1EF), 1A @ Mor (6,4,3:3,1 -1EII, C +c), 1A @ Cre (6,5,1:1 -1GI, C, +c), 2A @ Sha (3,2,2:4,2; 6,4,2:5,3 -1RII, 1EII), 1A @ Sib (6,4,4:6,3; 5,5,2:4,1 -1EII), 1A @ Tur (6,4,1:6; 4,2,1:4; 5,5,2:2; 4,3,3:1 -2PI). VP = 7 + C(2x1) + c(4) + M(1x2 +1) + S(1) + Md E(D=6) + N Afr(P=2) + Ind(P=2) + S Eur(P=2) = 29.

SCORE (SP/VP): O(10/16), Y(10/16), G(11/32), E(13/27), A(13/27), R(19/29).

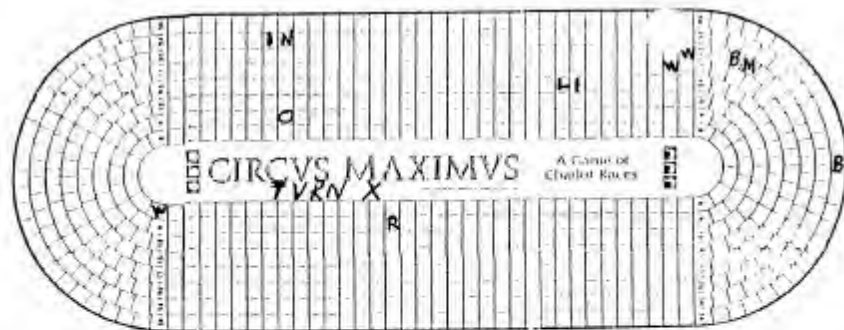
EPOCH

You drew _____, Passing order is Orange, Yellow, Green, Ebony, Azure, Red.

BOARD:

Anderson: **RI**: Dee, Hin, Win; **RII**: Cre(c), Lev(c), Mor(c,EM), PP(C,RM), PSD, Sib, Tur, UTic, Zag
M. Fisher: **YI**: Cey, EGH, WDe2; **YII**: GaD, GaV, Mal, Sum, Ufn(C,YM)
PI: Tar(PM)
McCabe: **OI**: SiK, Yel2,C,OM; **OII**: Che, Irr, Sze, Wei (C,OM), Yan
Morrison: **EI**: LTic, MTI3,C), Palic,f; **EII**: Bal, Dal, Dan, Pin
Kanne: **AI**: Nub, WAn; **AII**: Lin(c,YM)
K Wilson: **GI**: Lib, Nilic,AM), UNic,f; **GII**: Alb, Cau2), CEu(GM), CMa, Dni, NEu; **GV**: EAn(C,GM).
Ships: Bla(E), EMS(R), Red(A), WMS(E)

DUE NEXT TIME: Hold/Pass decisions soonest, the Celts through at least the Hun. Will e-mail results as soon as I get them, so maybe we can do the whole epoch.



INDY STREAKS!!

ODDS	COLOR	DRIVER (CDM/DH)	CART	Whip	Wheels	TEAM	END	Speed	D/E
3-1	Green	Indy (+1/9)	L	y	0/0	6447	22	22	2/1
4-1	Blue	Blue Maximus (+2/6)	L	y	0/0	5434	20	17	2/1
16-1	White	Lingus (+1/8)	L	y	0/0	2446	22	17	2/1
	Orange	team	W			5445	21	18	2/1
	Black	team	W			6435	09	18	1/1
	Red	team	W			7543	16	19	2/2

ACTION

BLACK TEAM: 18. Ahead 18.

RED TEAM: 19. Ahead 2, out 1, ahead 16.

LINGUS (Kannel): 17, no whip. In 2, corner strain at 2 over (9-1 = n/e -2 END). Ahead 13.

INDY (Copeland): 22, no whip. Ahead 22.

ORANGE TEAM: 18, no whip. Ahead 18.

BLUE MAXIMUS (Anderson): 17, no whip. Ahead 17.

Due next time are your orders for Turn 11.

ODDS	COLOR	DRIVER (CDM/DH)	CART	Whip	Wheels	TEAM	END	Speed	D/E
3-1	Green	Indy (+1/9)	L	y	0/0	6447	22	22	2/1
4-1	Blue	Blue Maximus (+2/6)	L	y	0/0	5434	20	17	2/1
16-1	White	Lingus (+1/8)	L	y	0/0	2446	20	17	2/1
	Orange	team	W			5445	21	18	2/1
	Black	team	W			6435	09	18	2/1
	Red	team	W			7543	16	19	2/2

PRESS:

Josephus runs and hides from backers/bettors.

Indy to Lingus: One of these turns I'm going to get to move first!

--KINGMAKER (continued from p 15)

BLUE FALCON HAVING SURVIVED SHIPWRECKS AND ASSASSINATIONS AND ALL MANNER OF DELAYS HAS FINALLY ASSEMBLED AT AND IN LUDLOW CASTLE, NEEDING A LITTLE SLEEPY-BYE TIME. COME MORN OUR UNDERMANNED YET COURAGEOUS AND DETERMINED FORCE WILL SEEK OUT AND ENGAGE THE EVIL AND PRETENTIOUS NEVILLE AND HIS HORDE...IN A BATTLE OF SUCH MOMENTOUS.....IN OTHER WORDS...US IS GONNA KICK BUTT!!

DEADLINE: HOW ABOUT 10/27/01 MIDNIGHT MY TIME...



LIQUOR IS QUICKER



No Report Received

Standings: [Cert. Limit = 13] *Prez

Paul Zieske - 6-PRR*, 6-Erie*, 3-B&O, 1-C&O, 1-NYC, 1-NYNH: \$15 [16]
 Chuck Hanna - 6-C&O*, 1-B&O, 4-PRR, 2-CPR, 3-Erie, 1-NYNH: \$65 [16]
 Kerry Watson - 6-B&O*, 4-B&M, 1-NYNH: \$63 [10] Priority Card Holder
 Don Chinnery - 5-B&M*, 6-NYC*, 1-NYNH, 1-CPR, 2-C&O: \$347 [13]
 Rick Copeland - 6-NYNH*, 6-CPR*, 1-B&M, 1-CPR, 1-Erie: \$401 [13]

Corporate Standings:

Company	Price	Par	I.O	Pool	Trains	Treasury	Tokens
CPR	A142a	\$100	-	0	5	\$ 100	A19, E19
Erie	A142b	\$100	-	0	5	\$ 1	E11(e), D14
B&O	C111	\$100	-	0	4	\$ 464	I15, H16, H18(se)
C&O	E100	\$ 90	-	1	6	\$ 52	F6, H4
B&M	D100a	\$ 67	-	0	6	\$ 154	E23, F22
NYNH	D100b	\$ 71	-	0	4	\$ 262	G19(n), F22
NYC	B100	\$100	2	1	4	\$ 90	E19
PRR	G63	\$ 67	-	0	4.5	\$ 451	H12, H18(w), H16

Available Trains: D,D,D,D+

GAME OPENINGS ELSEWHERE

See subscriber list for e-addresses. This was a last minute addition to the 'zine, so I wasn't able to get all the details I would've wanted. DLIF = date of last issue found in my various piles of paper

John Boardman's **Graustark** (DLIF: 15 Sep 01) seeks DIP and COL DIP standbys.

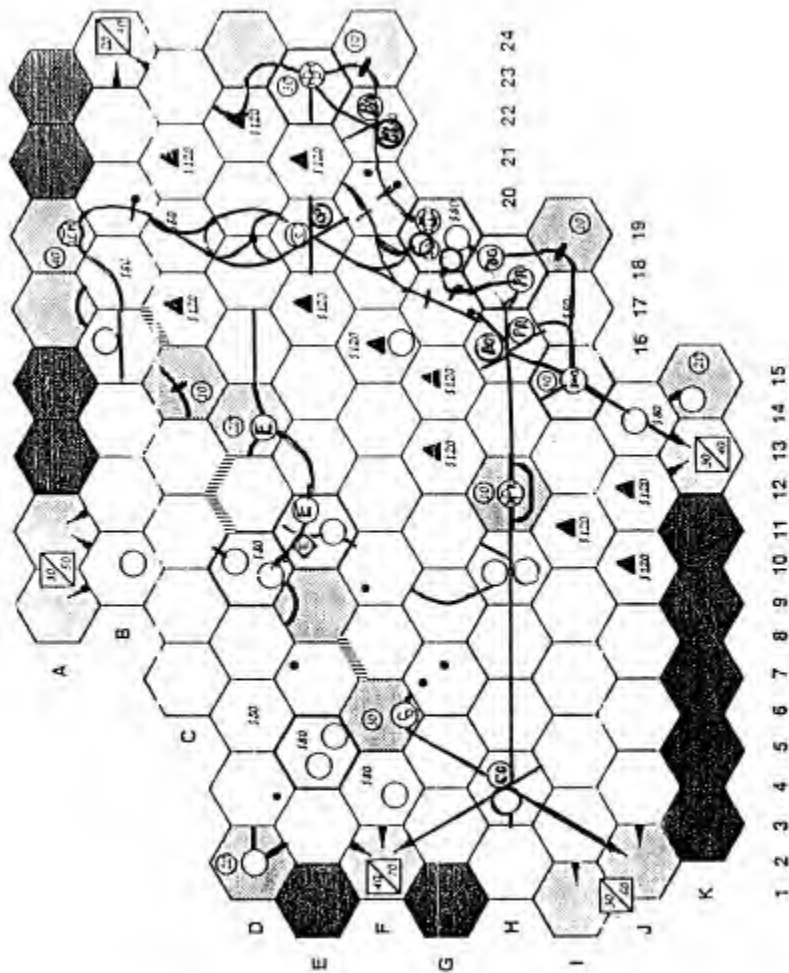
Tom Butcher's **Blut und Eisen** (\$1.05/issue in US, DLIF: 4 Sep 01)
 1835, 1851, 1829(S), THE CONSUMMATE RAILWAY GAME, 1831, STELLAR CONQUEST

Warren Goese's **I Digress** (\$1.50/issue in US, DLIF: 19 Aug 01)

Chris Hassler's **S.O.B.** (sub \$1.50/issue in US, DLIF: Sep 01)
 DUNE, LIFT OFF, SILVERTON (Mayfair rules), HISTORY OF THE WORLD, NEW WORLD, OUTPOST

Andy Lischett's **Zarr** (DLIF: 22 Sep 01, allegedly renamed from **CHEESECAKE**, 12 Aug 01)
 DIPLOMACY







SILVERTON

Zieske over 50 k\$!
Turns 15b/16a



Errata: #91 is already owned by Zieske. Porter (#89) has 4 L.

Zieske buys #93 (-\$600).

PLAYER STATUS

#1 (Hassler): \$27,625, S+2, P, A2, A3, A1, #50(4 C), #7(5 Au), #64, #66, #104
#2 (Farrow): \$15,500, S, P+2, A4, B7, B9
#3 (Zieske): \$48,775, S+1, P+1, #79(1.5 Ag, D), A20, #76(0.25 Au, D), #81(1 Ag, D), B22, #91(3 L), #93
#4 (Chinnery): \$21,125, S, P+2, #43(2 C), A5, #47(3 C), #106, B11
#5 (M. Fisher): \$9,400, S+1, P+1, #58, #23(1.5 Ag), #25(1 Ag), #26(1.5 Ag)
#6 (Hanna): \$22,275, S+2, P, A19, #89(4 L), #90, #96(1 C), B21

AVAILABLE CLAIMS:

#2: Marysville (Au): \$800/\$200)	#38: Taos (L): \$200/\$150)
#40: Lamberton (L): \$300/\$200)	#59: Durango (C): \$400/\$100)
#61: Canon City (C): \$500/\$150)	#62: Canon City (C): \$200/\$100)
#97: York Canyon (C): \$500/\$150)	A6, B12, C13, C15, C16a, C17-18, C24

The Deck

TURN 15b/16a

#1: Operate A1 (+\$100), A2 (+\$250), A3 (+\$400), #7 (-\$400: 7 = 0.5 Au), #50 (-\$100: 8 = 3 C), #54(-\$250: 4 = 1 C), #66(-\$200: 7 = 3 C). Deliver 10 C to Denver (+\$5000) from #50 & #66. / Prospect #38 (dispute!). Survey Alamosa-South Fork (-\$700).
#2: Operate A4 (+\$1350), B7 (+\$600), B9 (+\$1350). Deliver not. / Prospect Deck (#105). Survey Heber City-SLC (-\$700).
#3: Operate A20 (+\$800), B22 (+\$700), #91 (-\$200: 8 = 2 L), #93 (-\$250: 3+6 = 3 L). Deliver 1.5 Ag from #79 and 1 Ag from #91 to EP (+\$5000). / Prospect Deck (#65). Survey Albuquerque to Dales (-\$400).
#4: Operate A5 (+\$100), #47 (-\$100: 7 = 3 C), #106 (-\$400: 11 = 2 Cu), B11 (+\$700). Deliver 6 C (+\$1800) and 2 Cu (+\$2400) to SLC. / Prospect Deck (#34). Survey not.
#5: Operate #58 (-\$150: 8 = 3 C), #26(-250: 3 = D), B10 (+\$750). Deliver not. / Prospect #61 (-\$500). Survey Dolores-Durango (-\$500).
#6: Operate A19 (+\$450), #89 (-\$150: 8 = 1 L), #96 (-\$150: 6 = 2 C), B21 (+\$1100), #68 (-\$200: 1+6 = 3 C). Deliver not. / Prospect #38 (dispute!). Survey Cimarron to Raton (-\$400).

DISPUTES: #38: Hassler (6) vs Hanna (7). Hanna buys #38 (-\$200).

THE MARKETS (TURN 15)

Au: 6 + (0x4) = 6 -> -1	\$4000	Ag: 3 + (2.5x2) = 5 = 3 -> +2	\$3000
Cu: 2 + 2 = 4 -> nc	\$1200	Den L: 4 + 0 = 5 = -1 -> +3	\$1000
SLC L: 6 + 0 = 5 = 1 -> +3	\$1500	Pueb L: 9 + 0 = 5 = 4 -> +1	\$1000
SF L: 9 + 0 = 5 = 4 -> +1	\$800	EP L: 10 + 0 = 5 = 5 -> +1	\$1000
Den C: 6 + (10/2) = 5 = 6 -> nc	\$500	SLC C: 9 + (6/2) = 5 = 7 -> nc	\$300u
Pueb C: 8 + 0 = 5 = 3 -> +2	\$400	SF C: 5 + 0 = 5 = 0 -> +3	\$300L
EP C: 6 + 0 = 5 = 1 -> +3	\$700		

PLAYER STATUS

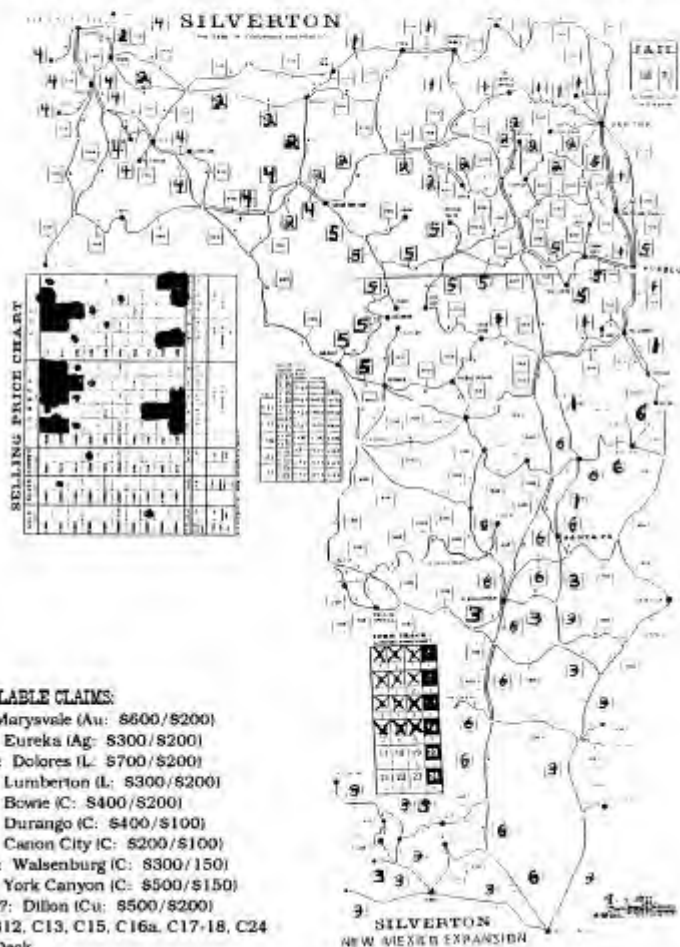
#1 (Hassler): \$31,725, S+2, P, A2, A3, A1, #50, #7(5.5 Au), #64(1 C), #66, #104
#2 (Farrow): \$18,100, S, P+2, A4, B7, B9, #108?

#3 (Zieske): \$53,925, S+1, P+1, A20, #76(0.25 Au, D), B22, #91(5 L), #93(3 L), #65?
 #4 (Chinnery): \$24,425, S, P+2, #43(2 C), A5, #47, #106, B11, #347
 #5 (M. Fisher): \$8,750, S+1, P+1, #58(3 C), #23(1.5 Ag), #25(1 Ag), #26(1.5 Ag), #61
 #6 (Hannat): \$22,275, S+2, P, A19, #89(5 L), #90, #96(3 C), B21, #68(3 C), #38

DEPLETIONS: 1, 4, 8, 10-12, 15-16, 18, 24, 26, 29, 32, 37, 43-45, 49, 53, 57, 70-74, 76, 79-81, 83-88, 100, 102

Claims in **bold** are "virgin", "u" = upper, "L" = lower, "m" = mid, underlined depletions Leadville

Due next are orders for Turns 16b/17a. Remember Turn 16 is SNOW. Game runs to Turn 24.





ADVANCED CIVILIZATION

Virtually a Three-Way Dead Heat for Second!
TURN 16.10 THROUGH 17.3



General Comments:

Having heard nothing from Phil Reynolds this round I am declaring him as having departed the game and as of the end of this adjudication I have returned all but one of his trade cards (2 Hides, 2 Papyrus, 2 Salt and 1 Grain) to the trade decks. His units will remain inert as outlined in Rule 15.6 Early Departures.

Everyone did pretty well getting their orders in this time including expansion orders. Good job. Due one (1) week before the general deadline (that should be November 2nd), Ship Construction (17.4) to Trade Card Acquisition (17.9).

Corrections:

The Civilization Card total and the victory point total for Iberia was incorrect. It has been corrected in the initial "The Board" section.

16.10 Trading

1. Iberia trades Gems 3i, Oil 24 + Iron 8 to Egypt for Bronze 1a, Grain 2B + Civil Disorder 1c
2. Iberia trades Resin k, Ivory a + Barbarian Hordes 2m Africa for Grain 2n, Grain 20 + Hides L
3. Egypt trades Wine 2t, Timber h + Ochre 2r to Crete for Cloth 2f, Cloth 2s + Papyrus 39
4. Iberia trades Bronze 1a, Bronze 2y + Spice 1j to Crete for Grain 3g, Timber h + Timber 6
5. Africa trades Dye 1B, Wine 1u + Iron 34 to Crete for Resin 1h, Spice 1j + Hides 3i
6. Iberia trades Hides 2d, Hides 30 + Hides L to Babylon for Grain 1z, Timber 14 + Iconoclasm & Heresy 2p
7. Iberia trades Timber h, Timber 6 + Timber 14 to Africa for Ivory 2a, Ivory a + Hides 3i

16.11 Resolve Calamities

Volcanic Eruption or Earthquake (Af): Mt. Etna erupts. City Syra destroyed.

Superstition (Ib): Holds Enl, no effect.

Discarded: Barbarian Hordes (Af), Epidemic (Af), Civil Disorder (Ib), Iconoclasm & Heresy (Ib), Piracy (Af).

Monothelism: Af takes 3 Cyra from Eg. Ba takes 5 Assy from As.

16.12 Acquisition of Civilization Cards

Af - Trades in 5 Resin - 175, 5 Salt - 75, Spice - 7, 2 Timber - 12 + \$11 = 280. Buys Ph (240 - 20 ea. for Eng, As, Co, Med, Mu and 25 ea. for Ma, Li) = 90, Ru (140 - 10 ea. for Po, Cl, Met, Ag, Eng) = 90, Theology (250 - 20 ea. for Eng, As, Co, Med and 25 for Ma and 15 ea. for My, Del, Enl) = 100.

Ib - Discards Hides.

Cr - Trades in 5 Wine - 125, 2 Bronze - 24, 1 Spice - 7, 1 Iron - 2 and 1 Ochre - 1 + \$1 = 160. Buys Mil (180 - 20 for Met) = 160.

As - NMR'd, Hides returned.

Ba - Trades in 3 Gold - 144 w/ Min, 3 Hides - 9 and 2 Ochre - 4 = 157. Buys Ph (240 - 20 ea. for Eng, As, Co, Med, Mu and 25 ea. for Ma, Li), Del (80 - 15 My) = 155.

Eg - Trades in 2 Gems - 72 w/ Min and 3 Cloth - 45 = 117. Buys Ph (240 - 20 ea. Eng, As, Co, Mu, and 25 ea. for Ma, Li) = 110.

16.13 Alter AST

Af, Ib, Ba, Eg: Advances to 300 BC. Cr: Advances to 425 BC. As: Holds at 500 BC.

TURN 17 - 250 BC

17.1 Collect Taxes: Af taxes @ \$1/C \$8, Ib taxes @ \$3/C \$27, Cr taxes @ \$1/C \$8, As NMR, assumes taxes at \$2/C \$2. Ba taxes @ \$2/C \$18, Eg taxes @ \$2/C \$18.

172 POPULATION EXPANSION

Af - 17R, 23 places - 2 ea. @ Sala, Sido, Spar, Cyre, Cath, Emau, Numi, Tripa, 1 @ Liby.
 Ib - 6R, 20 places - 1 ea. @: 1 Hisp, Iber, Pyre, Gaul, Etru and Cisa.
 Cr - 22R, 20 places - doubles.
 As - 3R - NMR
 Ba - 7R, 20 places - expands: 2 ea. @ Phoe, Alex, Dema and 1 @ Syrt
 Eg - 18R, 16 places - Doubles.

173 CENSUS (Assyria, Babylon and Crete move last because of Military.)

Africa - 44T, 8C, 0R, 11S, 2460 Civ., 300 BC, VP: 4371 + 2 Cards
 Egypt - 35T, 9C, 2R, 18S, 2340 Civ., 300 BC, VP: 4328 + 5 Cards
 Iberia - 26T, 9C, 0R, 29S, 2140 Civ., 300 BC, VP: 4119 + 8 Cards
 Crete - 42T, 8C, 3R, 10S, 1005 Civ., 425 BC, VP: 2715 + 4 Cards
 Babylon - 37T, 9C, 0R, 18S, 3080 Civ., 300 BC, VP: 5048 + 7 Cards

THE BOARD:

Af - 44T, 8C, 0R, 11S, 2460 Civ., 300 BC, VP: 4371 + 2 Cards. Civ Cds: As, Cl, Ar, Po, Ag, Mu, Li, My, Eng, Dr, Enl, Co, Del, Mo, Met, Med, Ma, Ph, Ro and Th. Cities: Neap, Trpt, Cirt, Pale, Thap, Itha, Ebus and Tare. Ships: 2 Sala, Sido, Spar, 6 Cyre, 5 Cath, 4 Emau, 4 Numi, 4 Tripa, 4 Sala, 4 Sido, 4 Spar, 3 Cyra, 3 Liby, 2 Jaló, 1 WMa = 44.

Ib - 26T, 9C, 0R, 29S, 2140 Civ., 300 BC, VP: 4119 + 8 Cards. Civ Cds: Po, Eng, Ar, Met, My, Mu, Dr, Li, Co, Cl, La, Ag, As, Med, Dem, Ph, Ma, Enl. Cities: Cord, Mass, Sard, Lugd, NCar, Tarr, Rome, Narb and Rhac. Ships: None. 3 Iber, 3 Pyre, 3 Etru, 2 Bal, 2 Belg, 2 Cora, 2 Hsp, 2 Gaul, 2 Cisa, 1 Lusl, 1 Lond, 1 Aqul, 1 UGer, 1 Cora = 20

Th - 28T, 2C, 20R, 7S, 28S Cl, 800 BC, VP: 1392 + 3 Cards. Civ Cds: Cl, Met, My and Ag. Cities: Moes and Rhine. Ships: None. 3 Scyt, 2 Mace, 2 LGer, 2 Germ, 2 Pann, 2 Rubi, 2 Samn, 2 Dalm, 2 Ely, 2 Dact, 2 Crim, 1 Appo, 1 Paeo, 1 Sude, 1 Danu = 27

Cr - 42T, 8C, 3R, 10S, 1005 Civ., 425 BC, VP: 2715 + 4 Cards. Civ Cds: Ag, Li, Co, et, My, Ar, As, Cl, Mu, Dr and Mil. Cities: Cori, Argo, Chel, Rhod, Sard, Athe, Mile and Phae. Ships: 2 Byza, 5 Ther, 5 Thes, 4 Epir, 4 Thra, 4 Eret, 4 Byza, 4 Knos, 4 Ioni, 2 Delp, 2 Lemn, 2 Lesb, 2 Lyci. = 42

As - 35T, 1C, 3R, 17S, 1390 Civ., 500 BC, VP: 2657 + 1 Cards. Civ Cds: Dr, Co, Ag, Eng, Met, Ro, Min, Mil, Del, My, Po and Cl. Cities: Nalc. Ships: None. 4 Arme, 3 Gala, 3 Miko, 3 Bith, 3 Ank, 3 Anti, 3 Gord, 3 Kane, 2 Capp, 2 LArm, 2 Cypr, 2 Phry, 2 Van = 40

Ba - 37T, 9C, 0R, 18S, 3080 Civ., 300 BC, VP: 5048 + 7 Cards. Civ Cds: Eng, Min, My, Dr, Co, Ar, Met, Po, Mil, Med, Enl, Mu, As, La, Li, Cl, Th, Ro, Ma, Dem, Mo, Ph and Del. Cities: Babu, Marb, Carr, Alep, Arab, Char, Susa, Nine and Ur. Ships: Alex. 5 Assy 5 Alex, 5 Phoe, 4 Syrt, 4 Dema, 3 Meso, 3 Sumi, 3 Elem, 3 Baba, 2 Part. = 25

Eg - 35T, 9C, 2R, 18S, 2340 Civ., 300 BC, VP: 4328 + 5 Cards. Civilization Cards: My, Po, Cl, Eng, As, Dr, Co, Mu, Min, Li, Med, Ar, Met, Ro, Ag, Del, Enl, La, Ma and Ph. Cities: Siwa, EDes, Jeri, Tyre, Petra, Sino, Troy, Jeru and Tani. Ships: None. 6 Memp, 5 Fayu, 4 UEgy, 4 Ptol, 4 Gaza, 2 Alex, 2 Sina, 2 Buhe, 2 Theb, 2 Nubi, 2 Midi = 35

Due one (1) week before the general deadline, Ship Construction (17.4) to Trade Card Acquisition (17.9).



AIR BARON

ARA & HD NMRI

TURN 14



ERRATA: The only move FA did last turn was to exit air wars. MEX should not have been in the cup, MCI was drawn instead.

THE CAST

Flamingo Airlines (Farrow): PHL(J), BUF, PVD, SJU, SYR, YUL (JFK); SLC, MCI, OMA (DIA); JAX, RNO; \$5, 100 MS, ifw.

Hoffa Domain (Ringhoffer): CLE, DAY (DTW); BHM, BNA, CVG, GIG(w/SST) (ATL); BWI, LHR, ORF, PIT (DCA); BOS; \$24, 100 MS

Air Rage Airways (vacant): ANC, PDX, HKG, SEA(J), SIN(SST), SMF (SFO); RDU, MSP, CMH, STL, \$5, 40 MS.

Chickadee Air Express (Butitta): AUS, BOG, MSY, SAT (HOU); CUN, LIT, MEM, OKC, TUL (DFW); MKE, ABQ, \$5, 120 MS, \$10L.

Air Disaster (Wordeimann): \$15, HNL(J), LAS, SAN (LAX); ELP, TUS (PHX); 120 MS, GC(6)

Hindenburg Lines (Copeland): MCO, PBI, TPA, NAS, PTY (MIA); CLT, \$23, 60 MS, 2J(u)

TURN 14: AD collects \$6 for Government Contract. CAE pays \$1 interest.

FA (ofw) draws LAX (AD +\$24) & BUF (FA +\$3). Take \$20 loan, buy Jumbo (-\$10) undeployed.

AD (ofw) draws PDX (ARA +\$3), LIT (CAE +\$1). Buy MEX (-\$10).

ARA NMR (ofw) draws BHM (HD +\$1) & TUL (CAE +\$1). No action.

HL (ofw) draws DAY (HD +\$4) & MIA (HL +\$12). Buy Jumbo (-\$10) to undeployed box.

HD NMR (ofw) draws CVG (HD +\$4) & CLE (HD +\$3). No action.

CAE (ofw) draws JAX (FA +\$1) & MCI (FA +\$3), does nothing.

AIRLINE STATUS

Flamingo Airlines (Farrow): PHL(J), BUF, PVD, SJU, SYR, YUL (JFK); SLC, MCI, OMA (DIA); JAX, RNO; \$22, 100 MS, J(u), \$20L.

Hoffa Domain (Ringhoffer): CLE, DAY (DTW); BHM, BNA, CVG, GIG(w/SST) (ATL); BWI, LHR, ORF, PIT (DCA); BOS; \$36, 100 MS

Air Rage Airways (vacant): ANC, PDX, HKG, SEA(J), SIN(SST), SMF (SFO); RDU, MSP, CMH, STL, \$8, 40 MS.

Chickadee Air Express (Butitta): AUS, BOG, MSY, SAT (HOU); CUN, LIT, MEM, OKC, TUL (DFW); MKE, ABQ, \$6, 120 MS, \$10L.

Air Disaster (Wordeimann): \$39, HNL(J), LAS, MEX, SAN (LAX); ELP, TUS (PHX); 120 MS, GC(6)

Hindenburg Lines (Copeland): MCO, PBI, TPA, NAS, PTY (MIA); CLT, \$35, 60 MS, 2J(u)

TURN 15:

Air Line Order & Chit Draws: FA (AUS, HOU), ARA (TPA, PVD), HD (HNL, HKG), HL (Strike, SAT), ARA (Bid, DTW), CAE (JAX, Recession).

Due next time are your orders for Turn 15. Ringhoffer's sub has expired, so probably isn't returning.

LEGEND:

GC = government contract, ifw = in fare wars, J = jumbo jet, L = loan, MS = market share, ofw = out of fare wars, u = undeployed



KINGMAKER

KM 00-1
10-1-01

THE FACTIONS:

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| A: Phil Reynolds' The Knights Who Say "Neel" | B: Lee McConnell's Blue Falcon |
| C: Don Chinnery's Angevin | D: Dave Anderson's Blue Meanies |
| E: David Kurtz's Black Adders | F: Flint Webb's Chancellor of the Mighty Horde |
- GMing By Mike Scott The California Connection.

I held this turn for 2 weeks to allow David K to get back from vacation in Europe, then he gets caught in the NY attacks, being in a plane that was almost in Nova Scotia and got returned to England. It took him 5 days to get out of there. But now we are in gear and moving again.

Fixes: GM had Bouchier listed in two places, he is at Kenilworth. Also Stafford was listed twice, this turn's event call's fix that.

Event Card Responses: Stafford goes to Blackheath, then to Leeds, Courtenay goes to Okehampton, then to Penzance w/ Le Christopher & Le Margaret, then he goes back to Okehampton, Neville is called to Plymouth- and per the house rules he takes all the nobles attending to the King, which include Audley w/ Edward of March & George. Audley expected to take his captive Talbot with him, but Talbot played a King's Pardon Card and stayed in Cardigan.

Between Turn Happenings: NONE.

Nobles and Ships holding in Place: Courtney @ Okehampton, Fitzalan @ Chirk, Stanley @ Douglas, Stafford @ Leeds, Le Christopher @ Penzance, Le George @ Plymouth, Le Margaret @ Penzance, Le Nicolas @ London, Le Swan @ Berwick, Le Trinity @ Plymouth.

Nobles and Ships moving: Berkeley, Herbert, Mowbray, & Pole (Ludlow) W21-W24-W23-W22-Cardigan. Bouchier (Kenilworth) H21-H28-H21-Bath. Clifford, Grey, Hastings, Howard, Roos, Scrope, (Harlech) W10-W15-W10-W22-Cardigan(c). Cromwell, Greystoke, & Percy (W9) Denbigh-W2-Chester-M36-M32-M28. Duke of York (W30) W31-W32-H26-H28-H31. Neville w/ KRichard, Audley w/ Edward March & George (Plymouth) D10-D7-Taunton-H36-Bath. Talbot (Cardigan) W22-W19-W16-W17-W14.

COMBATS & SEIGES: Neither

TURN 10 Crown Cards: There was only one in the deck at this time, going to the Mighty Hoard.

TURN 11 EVENT CARDS: 22 Nobles in Play means 6 cards are drawn:

1. Parliament must be called.... No Effect (MAJ).
2. Embassy - King to Ravenser, 5-4.
3. Event Card to Avegvin.
4. Peasant Revolt; Earl of Kent to Rochester, Constable of Dover to Dover, Marshal of England to Blackheath, 2-1.
5. Plague: Lincoln & Newark, 3-1.
6. Embassy - King to Weymouth, 4-1.

Royal Heirs: Edmund is in Ireland, George is now in the hands of Audley, King Richard of York & Edward of March are controlled by Neville. Richard of Gloucester, Edward of Wales, Henry & Margaret are all DEAD.

PRESS:

NEVILLE TO ALL: Bloody peasants!

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RUSSIAN CIVIL WAR

Kalinin Purged!

URNS 14.A.1-5



TURN 14.A.1 TRADES: None.

TURN 14.A.2 MOVEMENT:

A: Ship Au thru Sevastopol (+5 WVP). Wrangel (2W2, Yudenich, 1W3) @ Taur-RR-Vyatka.

B: Smirnov (Peterson, Yeserov, Frunze, Slavin) and Voroshilov (1R2, Kidvidze, 1R3) Tif-Tere-Stav-Astr-Sara; Budyenny Mins-Mohl-Smol-Tver-Ryaz-Sara (j Voroshilov)

D: Lenin (Kalinin, Zinoviev, 1R2) @ Vite-Viln-Gyod-Volh-Kiev; 2Po6 @ Voro-Kurs-Cher-Kiev; Rodzyanko @ Ekst-RR-Kiev; restack @ Kiev: Lenin & Kalinin (Zinoviev, 1R2) & 1Po6 & 1Po6 & Rodzyanko.

E: No legal movement ordered.

F: Vatzetis (Trotzky, 1R3) & Sablin (Stalin, Berzin, Antonov) @ Dagh-RR-Livo.

TURN 14.A.3 PURGE: B & E purge Kalinin (player D in Kiev; S success). Kalinin joins B.

TURN 14.A.4 RANDOMIZER: None.

TURN 14.A.5 RANDOM EVENTS:

1. (4,2) Epidemic @ Finl.
2. (2,5) Epidemic @ Cour, Kovn, Podo, Cher
3. (1,4) Epidemic @ Bess, Tere, Kara, Chit

THE BOARD:

A (Scott): Wrangel (2W2, Yudenich, 1W3) @ Vyat.

B (J Bargender): Smirnov (Peterson, Yeserov, Frunze, Slavin) & Veroshilov (1R2, Kidvidze, 1R3, Budyenny) @ Sara; Kalinin @ Kiev.

C (Copeland): None.

D (M Fisher): Lenin, (Zinoviev 1R2), 1Po6, 1P6, Rodzyanko @ Kiev.

E (A Bargender): Kamenev (Sylin, Sorokin) & Bonch-B (1R3, Tukachevsky, Gall) @ Chel, 4Ba2 @ Esto, Bogomoletz.

F (K Wilson): Vatzetis (Trotzky, 1R3), Sablin (Stalin, Berzin, Antonov) @ Livo.

VP CHART:

A: 2 AM, 3 RVP, 16 WVP

B: 9 PM, 3 AM, 6 RVP, 4 WVP

C: 6 RVP, 2 WVP, 2 AM

D: 5 PM, 2 AM, 47 RVP, 14 WVP

E: 1 PM, 7 AM, 13 RVP, 0 WVP

F: 10 RVP, 3 WVP, 1 AM

A two-way draw (A & D) is proposed.

Due next time are votes, trades, combat, and purges for Turn 14.B.

LEGEND: AM = Assassination Marker, Au = gold, j = joins, L = leader, PM = Politburo Marker, R = Red unit, RVP = Red Victory Point, W = White unit, WVP = White Victory Point



BRITANNIA

"Egbert"

Turns III & IV



The Cast:

Blue: Kevin Wilson Green: Dave Anderson Purple: Chuck Hanns Red: Peter Boyum

Board

Romans: 4L,F @ Alban; 3L,F @ Cheshire; 1L,F @ Essex, Hwicce, Lothian, N Mercia, Strathclyde; F @ Avalon, Bernicia, Dalraida, Dunedin, Kent, Lindsey, March, Norfolk, Pennines, S Mercia, Suffolk, Sussex, York.

Welsh (1.5): 2A @ Powys; 1A @ Clwyd, Cornwall, Devon, Downlands, Dyfed, Gwent, Gwynedd.

Brigantes (2.5): 2A @ Galloway; 1A @ Cumbria.

Picts (2.5): 3A @ Moray; 2A @ Mar.

Caledonians (0): 2A @ Caithness; 1A @ Hebrides, Orkneys.

TURN III (cont)

Caledonians (0): Grow 1.5 pp. Hold.

Score: Purple 26, Red 4, Blue 3, Green 2

TURN IV

Romans: 1L Alban-Dunedin, 1L Alban-Dunedin-Lothian, 1L Alban-Dunedin-Lothian-Bernicia, 1L Strathclyde-Lothian-Bernicia-York, 1L Lothian-Bernicia-York-Cheshire, 1L Cheshire-March-Hwicce, 1L Cheshire-March-Hwicce-S Mercia, 1L Cheshire-March-N Mercia-Suffolk, 1L N Mercia-Suffolk-Norfolk, 1L Hwicce-S Mercia-Essex-Kent.

Welsh (1.5): Grow 5 pp. Add 1A @ Devon & Downlands. 1A Gwent-Devon, 1A Powys-Gwent, 2A Devon-Avalon (4,4:6 -1 Welsh, r-Devon).

PRESS: New Welsh Proverb- Live by the rocks. Dies by the plains.

Brigantes (2.5): Romans disallow growth. ???

Board

Romans: 1L,F @ Alban, Bernicia, Cheshire, Dunedin, Essex, Hwicce, Kent, Lothian, N Mercia, Norfolk, S Mercia, Strathclyde, York; F @ Avalon, Dalraida, Lindsey, March, Pennines, Suffolk, Sussex.

Welsh (1.5): 2A @ Devon, Downlands; 1A @ Clwyd, Cornwall, Dyfed, Gwent, Gwynedd, Powys.

Brigantes (2.5): 2A @ Galloway; 1A @ Cumbria.

Picts (2.5): 3A @ Moray; 2A @ Mar.

Caledonians (1.5): 2A @ Caithness; 1A @ Hebrides, Orkneys.

Irish: 2R @ Atlantic

Scots: 1R @ Irish

Jutes: 2R @ Channel

Saxons: 3R @ Channel

Angles: 3R @ Frisia

Due next are Turn 4 orders for the Brigantes through Angles.

Legend: A = infantry army, C = cavalry army, F = fort, L = legion or leader, PP = population point, R = raider, r-??? = retreats to ???, w-??? = withdraws to ???, * = in melee, ‡ = attack by/against legion

ON DECK



1835: Chinnery, R Fisher, Butitta, Hanna, Zieske, Copeland

1856: Chinnery, Butitta, Hanna, Frueh, Zieske, Copeland

AGE OF RENAISSANCE: Hanna, Klausutis, Copeland

BRITANNIA: Anderson, Hanna

CIRCUS MAXIMUS: Narhi, R Fisher, Kanne

Tourney Rules: Anderson, R Fisher, need 6 more

DIPLOMACY: Curtis, Morrison, Fowble

DOWN WITH THE KING: Copeland, Anderson, Fowble

DUNE: Anderson, R Fisher, K Wilson; need 3-6 more

GUNSLINGER: Scott, Fowble; need 3 more

JUNTA: Copeland, Anderson, Hanna, Narhi

MAGIC REALM: Butitta

MERCHANT OF VENUS: R Fisher

MONSTERS RAVAGE AMERICA: Butitta, TJ Klausutis(?)

REPUBLIC OF ROME: Copeland, (Webb), Narhi

SETTLERS of CATAN: Kanne, Copeland

SOURCE OF THE NILE (*A. Bargender GM): Farrow, Chinnery, York, R Fisher

TITAN: Khao, A & J Bargender, (Webb); need 1 or 2 more

WIZARD'S QUEST: A&J Bargender, Farrow, R Fisher

OTHER POSSIBILITIES: 1829 (N OR S), 1870, AFTER THE HOLOCAUST (*GM Fowble), CIRCUS IMPERIUM, GLADIATOR, GODSFIRE, KAMAKURA, KREMLIN, PLANET MINERS.

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"Kurzon Dax". We have at least two applicants, others apply soonest. ____ If this is checked, you're signed up.

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